

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

October 31, 2017



Ten charcoal kilns were built in 1877 in Wildrose Canyon, Death Valley (Inyo County) at an elevation of 6,800 feet. They were only operated for a short period of time. These beehive shaped masonry structures, about 25 feet high, are believed to be the best known surviving example of such kilns to be found in the western states.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 3	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Cal OES State Operations Center

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level III in support of the Statewide fires with an operational period of 0700-1900 hours.

The Medical Health Coordination Center

The Medical Health Coordination Center (MHCC) is activated to Level III in support of the Statewide fires.

Cal OES EMAC Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-39620:** Nevada National Guard providing one (1) Joint Incident Support Communications Capability (JISCC) at Elsie Allen High School in Santa Rosa (Evacuation Center) starting on 10/11/17. The JISCC will provide VoIP phone access and Wi-Fi to displaced persons until contract communication (ex: ATT / Verizon) services can be restored. Duration of mission is estimated at 21 days. Demobilization is currently scheduled for 11/01/17.
- **2017-SOC-42049 and 2017-SOC-42052:** A total of five (5) Individual Assistance Coordinators (one (1) from Virginia and four (4) from Washington) deployed to California through the EMAC system. The team reported to Cal OES Headquarters on 10/23/17 and are scheduled to return to their home state on 11/18/17.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Presidential Major Disaster Declaration

- On 10/09/17, President Donald J. Trump approved a Major Disaster Declaration for California.
- Federal disaster assistance has been made available to the state to supplement state, tribal, and local recovery efforts in the areas affected by wildfires from 10/08/17 and continuing.
- Federal funding is available to state and eligible local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work due to wildfires in Butte, Lake, Mendocino, Napa, Nevada, Sonoma, and Yuba counties.
- On 10/13/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. announced that the state has secured additional federal aid for Napa and Sonoma county residents who have suffered losses due to the fires. Napa and Sonoma county residents impacted by the fires can apply for Federal Individual Disaster Assistance online or by phone. [More information can be found here](#)
- On 10/14/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. announced that the White House has approved California's request for direct aid to individuals and families in Butte, Lake, Mendocino and Yuba counties who have suffered losses due to the fires. Residents impacted by the fires can apply for Federal Individual Disaster Assistance online or by phone. [More information can be found here](#)
- On 10/15/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. announced that the White House has approved California's request for direct aid to individuals and families in Orange and Nevada counties who have suffered losses due to the fires. [More information can be found here](#)

International Fire Resources

- Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer (FDO), the 32 personnel from Victoria, Australia (that included 12 leadership positions and a 20 person hand crew) have demobilized and departed for home the evening of 10/30/17.

FIRE ACTIVITY

SOUTHERN LNU COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, NAPA, SONOMA, AND SOLANO COUNTIES

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA Sonoma-Lake-Napa Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 10/27/17 at 1726 hours:

- 51,624 acres, 100% contained

Activations

- Sonoma County EOC is activated to Level I, operational period 0700 to 1900 hours, duty officer status after hours.

Region Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Deputy RA is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Deputy RA is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region ESC is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region ESC is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 2 Cal OES Inland Region ESCs are deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Deputy RA is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior ESC is deployed to Sonoma County EOC

FMAG

- On 10/09/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was submitted for the Atlas Fire and has been approved; declaration number FEMA-5214-FM-CA.

Proclamations

- On 10/09/17, a Proclamation of Local Emergency was received from Napa County due to multiple fires with no requests.
- On 10/09/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Napa, Sonoma and Yuba counties due to the effects of multiple fires. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)
- On 10/10/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Solano County due to the effects of the Atlas Fire. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)
- On 10/16/17, a Joint Proclamation declaring a local health emergency was received from the County of Sonoma Environmental Health and Safety Officer and the County of Sonoma Health Officer. They are requesting CDAA, all available forms of disaster assistance and relief programs, a Presidential Declaration of Major Disaster, FMAG for the removal of hazardous waste and debris from property sites.
- On 10/21/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to help remove hazardous waste from Wildfire-Impacted neighborhoods. [More information can be found here](#)
- On 10/28/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued a proclamation declaring 10/28/17 as a “Day of Remembrance of the Northern California Fires” in the State of California. [More information can be found here](#)



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FIRE ACTIVITY

SOUTHERN LNU COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, NAPA, SONOMA, AND SOLANO COUNTIES (Continued)

Shelters

- See attachment for detailed sheltering information.
- Animal Shelter:
 - Valley Brook Equestrian Center, 1132 El Centro Ave., Napa (Napa County)

Schools

- Public school students are back in their school of enrollment or have been relocated to another school site.
 - Students from the Morrice Schafer Charter School will be relocated to other schools on 11/01/17.

Recovery

- Napa County Local Assistance Center (LAC) opened on 10/16/17.
 - Location: 2751 Napa Valley Corporate Dr., Building A, Napa
 - Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 0900-1900 hours, Saturday-Sunday 1000-1700 hours
- Sonoma County has 2 LACs
 - Location: Press Democrat Building, 427 Mendocino Ave., Santa Rosa
 - Hours of operation: 0700-1900 hours daily
 - Location: Hanna Boys Center, 17000 Arnold Dr., Sonoma
 - Hours of operation: 0900-1900 hours daily

FIRE ACTIVITY

CENTRAL LNU COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, SONOMA AND NAPA COUNTIES

Jurisdiction: State/Local DPA, SRA/LRA Sonoma-Lake-Napa Unit/City of Santa Rosa

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [10/30/17 at 1720 hours](#):

- 110,720 acres, [100% contained](#)
- Destroyed: [5,300](#) residential, [126](#) commercial and [1,584](#) outbuildings
- Damaged: [320](#) residential, [30](#) commercial, 137 outbuildings
- Fires within the complex: Nuns (Adobe), Oakmont, Pocket, Partrick and Tubbs

Activations

- Sonoma County EOC is activated to [Level II](#), operational period 0700 to 1900 hours, duty officer status after hours.

Region Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Deputy RA is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Deputy RA is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region ESC is deployed to Napa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region ESC is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 2 Cal OES Inland Region ESCs are deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Deputy RA is deployed to Sonoma County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior ESC is deployed to Sonoma County EOC

FMAG

- Nuns/Adobe Fire:
 - On 10/09/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was received and has been approved; declaration number FEMA-5220-FM-CA.
- Tubbs Fire:
 - On 10/09/17, a FMAG application was submitted and has been approved; declaration number FEMA-5215-FM-CA.
- Partrick Fire:
 - On 10/09/17, a FMAG application was submitted and has been approved; declaration number FEMA-5222-FM-CA.



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FIRE ACTIVITY

CENTRAL LNU COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, SONOMA AND NAPA COUNTIES (Continued)

Proclamations

- On 10/09/17, a Proclamation of Local Emergency was received from Napa County due to multiple fires. No requests at this time.
- On 10/09/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Napa, Sonoma and Yuba counties due to the effects of multiple fires which have damaged critical infrastructure, threatened thousands of homes and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)
- On 10/16/17, a Proclamation of a Local Emergency was received from the Napa County Health Officer for assistance with removal of hazardous waste due to the Central LNU Complex Fire.
- On 10/16/17, a Proclamation of Local Emergency was received from Sonoma County requesting State and Federal Assistance and a Presidential Proclamation due to the Sonoma Complex Fire.
- On 10/16/17, a Joint Proclamation declaring a local health emergency was received from the County of Sonoma Environmental Health and Safety Officer and the County of Sonoma Health Officer. They are requesting the Governor make available funds from the California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA), as well as all available forms of disaster assistance and relief programs, a Presidential Declaration of Major Disaster, FMAG for the removal of hazardous waste and debris from property sites within the Sonoma County Complex fire area.
- On 10/21/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to help remove hazardous waste from Wildfire-Impacted neighborhoods. [More information can be found here](#)
- On 10/28/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued a proclamation declaring 10/28/17 as a “Day of Remembrance of the Northern California Fires” in the State of California. [More information can be found here](#)

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 - Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 0900-1900 hours, Saturday-Sunday 1000-1700 hours
- Sonoma County has 2 LACs
 - Location: Press Democrat Building, 427 Mendocino Ave., Santa Rosa
 - Hours of operation: 0700-1900 hours daily
 - Location: Hanna Boys Center, 17000 Arnold Dr., Sonoma
 - Hours of operation: 0900-1900 hours daily

FIRE ACTIVITY

MENDOCINO LAKE COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, MENDOCINO AND LAKE COUNTIES

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officers and ICS-209 on 10/26/17 at 1645 hours:

- 38,730 acres, 100% contained
- Destroyed: 447 residential, 7 commercial, 252 outbuildings
- Damaged: 21 residential, 2 commercial, 29 outbuildings

Region Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Regional Administrator is deployed to Mendocino County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to Lake County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 1 Cal OES Southern Region ESC is deployed to Mendocino County EOC

Proclamations

- On 10/09/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Butte, Lake, Mendocino, Nevada and Orange counties due to the effects of multiple fires. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)
- On 10/16/17, a Proclamation of a Local Emergency was submitted by Mendocino County requesting CDAA and the State assistance in the removal of hazardous material resulting from the Mendocino Lake Complex Fire.
- On 10/21/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to help remove hazardous waste from Wildfire-Impacted neighborhoods. [More information can be found here](#)
- On 10/28/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued a proclamation declaring 10/28/17 as a “Day of Remembrance of the Northern California Fires” in the State of California. [More information can be found here](#)

Health and Medical

- Mendocino County
 - Boil Water Notice: Redwood Valley County Water District

Recovery

- Mendocino County Local Assistance Center (LAC), managed by FEMA, hours of operation 1000-1900 hours
 - Location: Mendocino College, 1000 Hensley Creek Rd., Mendocino
- Mendocino County Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) will open on 10/31/17, hours of operation 1000-1900 hours
 - Location: 1375 N. State St., Ukiah
- Lake County LAC and DRC are open, hours of operation 0900 - 1900 hours
 - Location: Clearlake Senior Community Center, 3245 Bowers Ave., Clearlake

FIRE ACTIVITY

NEU WIND COMPLEX, VEGETATION FIRE, NEVADA, YUBA, AND BUTTE COUNTIES

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer on 10/17/17 at 1718 hours:

- 17,037 acres, 100% contained
- Fire within the complex: La Porte Fire

FMAG

- On 10/09/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was submitted and has been approved; declaration number FEMA-5216-FM-CA.

Region Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Deputy Regional Administrator (RA) is assigned as Division Supervisor for Butte, Yuba and Nevada Counties
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is assigned to Yuba and Nevada Counties
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC is assigned to Butte County
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC is deployed to the SOC (Geo Ops)

Recovery

- Yuba County Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) is open daily 1000-2000 hours.
 - Yuba County Administration Office, 915 8th St., Marysville

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are no non-lifeline route closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures at this time.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center activations at this time.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current highway conditions.



California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

Service Interruptions:

- None Reported

Remote/Community Isolations:

- None Reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- A weather system is still on track to impact Northern California beginning Thursday, bringing widespread rain & mountain snow. Temperatures begin cooling Wednesday ahead of the system.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

*** Remaining dry through mid week, then sustained cooler and wetter pattern ***

*** SPECIAL NOTE: This product is now updated only Monday-Friday except holidays. ***

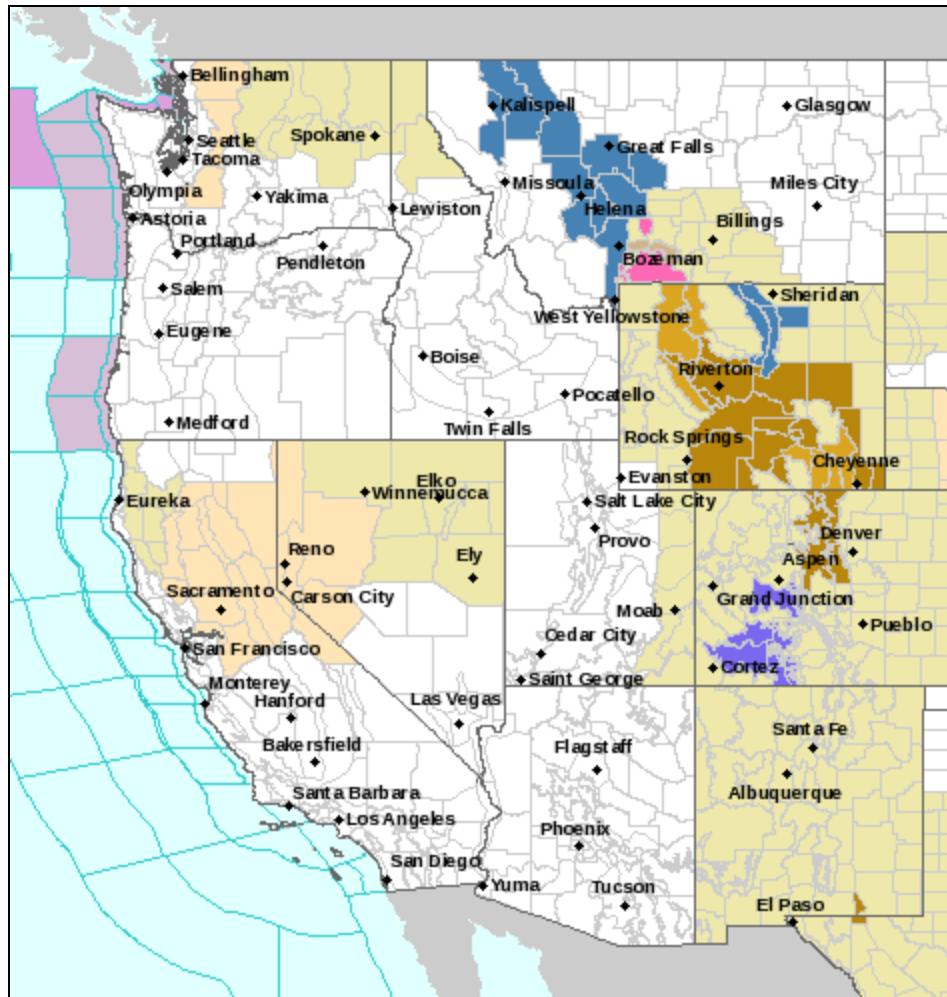
A series of Pacific trough's will provide a change to the weather pattern starting late week and last into the early half of next week. Prior to that change, conditions will remain fairly dry. Humidity values today will be the lowest of the week due to a N to NE wind flow behind yesterday's dry trough passage. Some locally gustier N to NE breezes to start out the morning today but the gradient will gradually relax as the afternoon progresses. Humidity values will trend slightly higher on Wednesday as westerly or onshore winds become a little more developed. A S-SW wind flow will strengthen Thursday and Friday ahead of a vigorous Pacific trough passage. Wind speeds will be gusty within the Sacramento Valley and over the high ridges, especially along the Sierra and Cascade mountain ranges. Gusts between 35 to 45 mph possible then. Conditions will moderate despite the strong winds because humidity values and cloud cover will trend higher. Precipitation associated with the system passage will start across the North Coast and Northwest mountains Thursday night and spread south and eastward Friday into Saturday. Wetting moisture of over a tenth of an inch or more is expected pretty much all areas. More significant amounts of precipitation will affect the mountains and coastal areas. Snow levels will eventually drop to between 4500 to 5500 feet by Saturday. A secondary system may clip northern CA on Sunday with another Pacific trough expected by the middle of next week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Potential for wetting rain this weekend

A deep marine layer along with a weak trough passing through the area will generate patchy drizzle and light rain across Southern California today. Rainfall amounts will generally be a trace to a couple of hundredths near the higher terrain. Otherwise, expect partly to mostly cloudy skies along the coast and intermediate valleys with hazy sunshine further inland today and Wednesday. Temperatures will be 5-8 degrees below normal the next two days with afternoon readings in the 60s along the coast to the 70s in the valleys to the mid 80s in the desert. Winds will remain light aside from typical sea breezes to 15 mph through the passes. A slight warming trend is expected Thursday along with sunnier weather. However, a pair of much stronger systems will likely bring wetting rains to California over the weekend. The first system may reach the state Friday with rain possibly reaching Central California Friday evening into Saturday. There may be a chance of light rain over Southern California Sunday. At this time, there is some uncertainty with regards to timing, but it appears over an inch of precipitation is likely across the central coast and the Sierras north of Fresno County from these systems. Some subtropical moisture may become entrained into these systems which would add to the precipitation totals, especially over Southern California Sunday and Sunday night. Drier and warmer weather may return for the first part of next week. No offshore flow is expected the next 7 to 10 days.

WEATHER MAP



- [Winter Storm Warning](#)
- [High Wind Warning](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Winds](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Winter Storm Watch](#)
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- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2017-LAW-42546, 10/30/17, 1730 hours:** Kings Canyon National Park is requesting assistance in the search for a missing hiker in the Cedar Grove area of the Park, in Fresno County. The hiker was last seen leaving on a day hike on Sunday, 10/29/17. Kings Canyon will use their existing MOU for 8 Type II ground personnel from Fresno County. In addition, Kings Canyon National Park is requesting Friendly Force Trackers, a capability to conduct airborne nighttime infrared searches, and ground support personnel for these functions. The California National Guard is assisting. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2017-LAW-42537, 10/30/17, 15:40 hours:** Monterey County Sheriff requested human remains detection dogs to assist in the search for a subject missing about 2 months in the Greenfield area. Santa Clara Sheriff has accepted the mission, which is scheduled for Saturday, 11/04/17. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2017-LAW-42533, 10/30/17, 1436 hours:** Riverside County Sheriff requested Human Remains Detection Dogs to assist in the search for a subject missing from his boat, which is in the Colorado River near Blythe. The search is scheduled for Thursday, 11/02/17. **Mission Ongoing**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-Coastal-37716:** One Air Monitor for Humboldt County (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-37583:** DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force (Detwiler Fire)
- **2017-Inland-37584:** CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force (Detwiler Fire)
- **2017-Inland-37776:** Two Air Monitors for Mariposa County (On Scene)
- **2017-SOC-38645:** One California Department of Transportation Archeologist to support the Joint Field Office (JFO) from 11/13/17 to 11/28/17. In coordination with a Cal OES Senior Environmental Planner, the Associate State Archeologist will review Disaster Damage Descriptions for potential California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) requests and request CHRIS reports when necessary.
- **2017-SOC-40594:** COMM-62 deployed to Sonoma County EOC, Santa Rosa, supporting Cal OES staff
- **2017-SOC-41344:** Individual Assistance (IA) request for cache phones for each lead for the LACs/DRCs for the Governors Office to contact them
- **Mission 2017-SOC-42460:** MIGU-2 in Mendocino County. OASIS capability to provide internet capability for approximately 10 field personnel to include FEMA, CalOES and USACE. This Mission is for 10/30/17 – 11/31/17
- **2017-SOC-42461:** MIGU-2 responding to Mendocino County to provide internet capability to field staff.
- **2017-SOC-41004:** 1 kit of 800 Kenwood radios and 1 800 Daniels repeater for support of Sonoma County EOC Base Camp
- **2017-IREOC-38682:** DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force (Helena Fire)
- **2017-IREOC-38683:** CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force (Helena Fire)
- **2017-Cal OES-35819:** Twelve Caltrans engineers requested to conduct damage and site inspections throughout the state for impacts related to 2017 February Winter Storms. The lead engineer will report to the Joint Field Office to coordinate the response.
- **2017-Cal OES-38400:** One Air Quality E-BAM modem for Klamath (Del Norte OA)
- **2017-Cal OES-38725:** Caltrans to perform bridge inspections on the National Trails Highway, San Bernardino County (On Scene)
- **2017-Cal OES-39160:** Communications Support for the Helena Fire, Trinity County.



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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.